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The Applicants respectfully request that this Information Disclosure Statement be officially entered into the file of this case and that appropriate notification be made that it was considered by the Examiner.

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